

San Francisco Oct 25/1865.

Dr. A. Gray Cambridge Mass.

My dear Sir,

Your letter of Sept. 26 was received yesterday. I thank you most sincerely for your note to Westermann & Co.

In my last, sent but a few days ago I gave a list of what I possess of Am. literature (Nat.) If you find it more convenient to send to Westermann, you may do. They will forward them with those I expect from Europe. (Trinius on the grapes)

It is my desire to make up some more sets and especially to complete those 16 sent, not only to 100 but as far as I can. Although I work as constantly as I possibly can, yet I find it pretty hard to overcome all the work, that I must do now.